Mountain Weather Forecast

North Grampian

Including North and West Cairngorms National Park, Monadhliath, Ben Alder, Creag Meagaidh, Loch Ericht and Loch Rannoch
Forecast valid from 00:00 on Tuesday 30 May 2023 until 23:59 on Wednesday 31 May 2023

Forecast Issued on Monday 29 May 2023 at 16:19 by Met Office Aberdeen

Confidence: High for dry, settled and often sunny conditions. Medium for cloud details from Thursday.

Headline for Tuesday 30 May 2023: Dry, sunny and warm.

Mountain weather hazards on Tuesday 30 May 2023

Blizzards No Likelihood	**Heavy persistent snow** No Likelihood	**Storm force winds** No Likelihood
Gales No Likelihood	**Severe chill effect** No Likelihood	**Poor visibility** No Likelihood
Thunderstorms No Likelihood	**Heavy persistent rain** No Likelihood	**Strong sunlight** High Likelihood

Weather and chance of precipitation at 800m							
Time							
00:00	03:00	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00
Clear night	Clear night	Sunny	Sunny	Sunny	Sunny	Sunny	Clear night
Precipitation probability							
00%	00%	00%	00%	00%	00%	00%	00%

Forecast for Tuesday 30 May 2023

Weather: A few shallow mist patches possible in the glens around dawn, otherwise clear overnight. A cool start, but soon becoming warm or very warm and sunny during the day. Clear spells late evening.

Chance of cloud-free hill tops above 800m: 95%

Low cloud and visibility: No significant cloud. Visibility good or very good.

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Height (m)	Wind Speed mean/gusts (mph)					Wind Direction (blowing from)			
	00:00	03:00	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
1300	10/12 W	12/15 W	10/13 W	10/13 W	6/10 NW	8/12 N	8/12 N	5/6 E	6/8 SW
900	7/8 SW	6/8 SW	7/9 SW	7/11 W	6/9 NW	7/11 N	9/13 N	5/6 NE	3/4 SE
600	5/6 W	3/4 N	4/6 NW	5/8 NW	4/8 NW	6/9 N	7/12 NE	4/6 NE	3/4 NW
300	2/4 W	2/4 S	2/4 SW	4/8 W	3/7 N	5/10 N	7/13 N	4/10 NE	2/4 NE
Glen	2/4 W	1/3 N	1/5 SE	3/7 SE	5/9 N	5/10 N	4/10 NE	3/7 N	2/4 NE

Height (m)	Temperature / Feels Like (°C)								
	00:00	03:00	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
1300	5/2	5/2	8/5	9/7	11/10	13/12	12/10	9/8	8/6
900	8/6	7/6	9/7	11/10	14/13	16/14	14/13	11/10	10/9
600	9/8	8/7	9/8	13/12	16/16	18/17	17/16	12/12	10/10
300	8/8	7/6	9/9	15/15	19/19	21/20	18/17	13/12	10/10
Glen	7/7	4/3	8/8	16/16	21/20	22/21	20/18	13/12	8/8
Freezing Level*	2300m	2300m	2400m	2400m	2400m	2400m	2500m	2500m	2500m

**Level above which ground is expected to be frozen/snow is expected to settle.*

Met Office Aberdeen Meteorologist's View
Strong, warm sunshine giving the risk of sunburn and dehydration.

Forecast for Wednesday 31 May 2023

Weather: Mainly clear overnight, although few shallow mist patches possible in the glens around dawn and the chance of more significant low cloud and mist developing through the Spey Valley. However, any low cloud and mist in the Spey Valley soon clearing to leave another dry and mainly sunny day. Warm or very warm.

Maximum wind: Variable 10mph

Chance of cloud-free hill tops above 800m: 90%

Low cloud and visibility: Generally no significant cloud, but occasional cloud, base surface to 500m, possible at first in the Spey Valley. Visibility good or very good, except in any early cloud.

Temperature: **Glens:** Plus 6 Celsius rising to 22 Celsius
At 800m: Plus 6 Celsius rising to 15 Celsius in the afternoon.
Freezing level: Well above the summits.

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